

SAINT'S SALLIES

As all week-ends since Thanksgiving have been closed our sallying is for the most part strictly in the future tense. Carolyn Holland went home, however, last week-end for her sister's wedding. But Thursday is the day of the "exodus," even though a few of us will have to wait over until Friday to catch our trains. Mana Burnett will leave Wednesday for California, where she will spend the entire Christmas vacation with her "man"; isn't that exciting? We also understand that several of us may go up to Princeton for a few days after Christmas, eh Stuart and Kate? . . . Everybody already knows about the newest addition to the Saint Mary's frat pin collection. Tucker has seen to that. She is now pinned to "the Marine" with a K.A. sweetheart pin. He went to Wake Forest and is stationed at New River. . . . Louise Carr wears paratrooper wings. He's stationed at Bragg and, since he's expecting to be sent overseas soon, has been up to see her very often. . . . Jean Sullivan really got herself into a jam. She accidentally (that's obvious) got her letters switched and put them in the wrong envelopes. It was all terribly confusing and she did a lot of explaining. . . .

Holt had some excitement the other Saturday night. Some boys drove down by the infirmary and had quite a time with a spotlight. Of course everyone was in the windows, trying to see whom they were signaling. . . . At breakfast last week, Betty Edwards was talking about Tarboro's "fine sentiments," and Shirley, just a little sleepy, mumbled something about "isn't that surprising; we only have four movie houses." . . . And what is this we hear about Betty Clark's bargain toothpaste?

Wasn't the dance fun? The seniors certainly should be congratulated on the decorations—all that and term papers too—and everything. Betty Winslow set the record for dates; she had eight of 'em.

Have you started packing? You'd better hurry, Thursday is mighty close. Or did you know?

Saint Mary's the last two weeks: Work, work and more work—monthly tests—term papers—late lights—the Christmas carols every morning on WRAL at 8:15—the Christmas wreath on Miss Davis' door "For Whom the Bell Tolls"—Christmas decorations and holly in some rooms—yards and yards of net hanging on the doors in Holt—last minute ironing of all of it before the dance—the dance itself—the Christmas pageant—the Christmas spirit—last shopping in Raleigh—ten more shopping days till you know when—carton boxes to be mailed home—hurried packing—"I'll Be Home For Christmas."

Saint Mary's the next three weeks: sleep, sleep and more sleep—eager Christmas shopping—home, home, home!—being able to do what you want to—fun—Christmas trees—holly and cedar—Christmas trees—Christmas day!—everybody, almost, at home—?—New Year's Eve—1944.

CAMPUS NOTES

Mrs. John William Dixey, formerly Lillian Jenkins, '43, and Betty Michaux, '43 (Business), visited Saint Mary's recently.

C. A. P. Moore will read Dickens' Christmas Carol to the two literary societies and any other members of the student body who wish to attend on Wednesday night, December 15.

Ida Hassell Jeffress, former student at Saint Mary's, of Kinston will be married on December 18, to Mr. Cecil William Wooten, Jr.

Carolyn Cauble, '42, of Winston-Salem will be married on December 22, to George Norman Boyer, A.S., Medical Corps, United States Naval Reserve.

Rev. Mr. I. Harding Hughes made an informal talk at the State Prison here in Raleigh last Sunday. Later, he journeyed to Durham and addressed the Y.P. S.L. at St. Philips Church. C. A. P. Moore conducted the vesper services at school that Sunday afternoon.

Mary Lynn Lewis attended the Cotillion Opening Dances at V. P. I. last week-end with Bill Waldren from Charlotte. While there she saw Betty Via who was at Saint Mary's last year.

The sextet and Miss Geraldine Cate attended a formal dance given by the USO last Saturday night. Sunday, December 5, the sextet and Miss Cate spent the afternoon acting as hostesses there.

Mrs. William Guess says that after Christmas all girls will be participating in drilling. The Wednesday afternoon play day will continue throughout the year.

Saint Mary's Student Body received recently a letter from Nellie Taylor Ross, Director of the Mint, concerning the penny shortage. Students are asked to get all idle pennies back into circulation because of the shortage of metals.

The address books are being sold this week by the Granddaughters' Club for twenty-five cents.

Quite a few Saint Mary's girls attended the Raleigh Little Theatre Saturday night to see *Guest In the House*.

The Circle collected approximately seventy-five dollars two weeks ago for the boys in the service. The money was originally to be used to buy boxes for boys in hospitals in North Carolina, but instead the money will be used to furnish a play room at some army camp in North Carolina.

Tomorrow there will be no drilling because the boys who drill Saint Mary's will be taking exams.

The A.S.T.P. boys from State who drill Saint Mary's girls each Wednesday afternoon were asked by the Senior Class to the senior dance Saturday night.

Day students who take business have been having informal gatherings at their homes on Friday nights and inviting business resident students of Saint Mary's.

The Sigma Lambda and the E. A. P. Literary Societies recently elected the following officers: Sigma Lambda: Charlotte Crawford, vice-president; Sue Moore, treasurer; and Jane D. Bell, custodian of the banner; E. A. P.: Margaret Winslow, vice-president, and Anna Margaret Moomaw, treasurer.

Mary C. Bowers and Annette Fulton, students of Miss Ruth Carroll, gave talks on current events last Thursday in assembly.

Harding Hughes, Jr., USNR at Carolina, visited his parents, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Harding Hughes, last week-end. Harding had as his guest Robert Rogon also of Carolina. Hughes and Rogon with E. O. Broughton came to Raleigh for the special purpose of giving a personal invitation to the mayor and civic organizations in Raleigh to hear vice-president Henry Wallace, who spoke Saturday night in Chapel Hill.

Georgia Murphy, Martha Stonely, and Mary Hodges Person are responsible for the prayers (for entering and leaving the Chapel) being pasted in the new hymnals.

The Raleigh Music Club was received with enthusiastic appreciation when they presented their Christmas program last Monday night at the Woman's Club. Miss Geraldine Cate directed, and Miss Ruth Holmes Scott gave a brief talk on Christmas carols.

Miss Ruth Carroll attended an Alumnae meeting at Coker College, Hartsville, S. C., Friday, December 4. Miss Carroll, who is a member of the executive board, was accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. Carlyle Campbell, president of Meredith.

The Doctors' Daughters' recently elected Frances Shackelford secretary and treasurer of their club. The dues of the club at present are going to Chinese Relief.

The Art classes attended the State Art Gallery last week to see an exhibition of paintings by old masters such as Van Dyke, Goya, Rembrandt, and Vermeer.

Nancy Wood, Frances Shackelford, Mary Holmes, Pinkie Butler, Maria Gregory, and Katherine Legg attended the North Carolina State Art Society meeting Wednesday night, December 2, with Mrs. Augusta Rembert.

MUS MUSCULUS

gee christmas is almost here every body is rushing around trying to get packed cousin elmer and i are going to his farm for the holidays and he has promised to teach me all the principles of farming nick thomas was really getting worried about her money the other day in economics class i went to the senior dance and did i have fun all the girls looked swell betsy burke katherine legg and the other senior art students did a swell job on the decorations hats off to miss davis and all the seniors for a very impressive pageant if any of you girls want to learn to ride horse back just ask miss christian to show you betty barnes keeps talking backwards trying to compete with bettie gathers double talk all the girls were loaded down with packages the other saturday everybody is trying to get last minute christmas shopping done mr moore was rather taken back the other day when hannah lyon asked him what the twelfth commandment was betty edwards has suddenly taken an interest in french lately if you want to know about entertainment in india ask chinkie martin maria legg had a big time at the ywca the other day rebecca drane was trying to teach me how to feed swans something she learned in french class well i must go get foxie clarke to teach me some christmas carols so i can sing them with the seniors thursday morning oh heavens here comes that horrible cat

OFF-CAMPUS CAPERS

The Christmas cheer is really in the air. When the girls aren't worrying about their research papers, they are thinking about the gay holidays to come. The younger crowd is having eight dances—oh, to be young again! The senior dance was quite an exciting affair. Everybody looked grand and had a wonderful time. Jane Bell gave an open house afterwards. Seen at it with their most attractive dates were Michelle Telfair, Juanita Anderson, Jane Jeter, Marjorie Cole, Dot Ruffin, Jane Clark Cheshire, Sybil Goerch, Agatha Chipley, Betty Ruth Windes, Lib Campbell, and Betty Kendrick. Flash! Ex-President of Day Students, Marjorie Soar, is pinned up to a Pika from Wake Forest. The Fraternities at Chapel Hill ended their dance season with Pledge dances the week-end of December 4. Jane Jeter and Betty Johnson were present.

Congratulations are in order for the many day students who went out for hockey. They are Agatha Chipley, Michelle Telfair, Helena Williams, Juanita Anderson, and Betty Baer.

GLEE CLUB AND ORCHESTRA

(From P. 1)

- Pat-A-Pan*—Old Burgundian Air
arr. by K. K. Davis
- Bring a Torch, Jeannette, Isabella*,
Famous Old French Carol
- Carol of the Bells*—A Ukranian Carol
- How Far Is It to Bethlehem?*
Chesterton-Shaw
- Deck the Halls with
Boughs of Holly*,
Famous Welsh Carol